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"There are more men ennobled by reading than by nature."

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DETROIT.

National Association of the Deaf—Convention, 1920.

News items of interest to the deaf of Michigan may be addressed to Mrs. C. C. Colby, 715 E. Jefferson Avenue, Detroit-Subscriptions will be received and forwarded to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL.

Because of you, the Detroit deaf are preparing a brilliant entertainment for August 9th—14th, 1920. Because of you, they have almost sacrified and given all that they had. So come, every one of you, if you can.

Take a trip to Tashmoo Park or Stag Island, or a visit to Gro se Point. You will see the wireless Station which the Navy will build at Windmill Point, at the junction of the Detroit River and Lake St. Clair, before June next. It will be one of the powerful wireless Stations on the Great Lake. You also will see the new $3 000,000 construction of the Belle Isle bridge, which is now under operation. A gang of men have started at work. It will require at least three years to complete the structure.

Also the erection of a $500,000 Temple of the Loyal Order of Moose, which will be started about the middle of March. It will be one of the finest fraternal blocks in the United States.

Under the auspices of the N. A. D. Branch, Mr. Chester C. Codman, formerly of Montana, but now a machinist at the Goodyear Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, gave a reading "Around the World in Eighty Days," written by Jules Verne, at the hall of N. A. D, Saturday evening, February 21st. It was a financial success His talk was warmly applauded. The hall was draped with American flags, and a photo of "The Father of Our Country" was prominent.

"Codman of the Pas-a-Pas," as he was called by all here, who knew him when they addressed him, was made more familiar that evening to the Detroit gatherers and others who gathered to see and to know. He has not changed much, though he has lived over ten years out in the wild West

As he stepped into the hall he was immediately surrounded by his old Illinois friends, who almost seemed to spring from the floor.

His countenance, with the lined cheeks and brow, shows his Irish blood, especially in the mouth and the resolute jaw, though he is an American by birth.

The members of the Committee and friends entertained him at a luncheon in town after the lecture. He left Sunday morning for Akron, Ohio, as he was schednled to arrive there at the hall in time to give a talk, where the Akronites were to have a movie show. He donated five dollars to the convention fund. Thank you. Mr Codman reported before the lecture that the deaf of Akron were interested in our work for the N A D. Convention. They—four hundred strong—with families, will march into the "City of the Strait" to greet the Convention. The Akronites have decided to give the bulk of the profit to the Detroit Convention fund, which they expected to get from th movie show of Sunday evening, February 22d, in Akron, Ohio Thank you.

A vote of thanks was given Mr. Codman. R. S Jones said Mr. Codman had done his best in the story and mentioned the pluck of Fogg, and "where there is a will there is a way," and that the outline of the whole plot could well apply to the deaf of Detroit in reaching the goal of the N. A. D. Convention.

I am sure the welcome Mr. Codman received by the Detroit deaf was so cordial and so kind, it will make them stand out in his memory.

Mr. Codman expects to go back to his home in the west in about a year or two. The western climate agrees with him.

Next introduction was Mr. Liddy, who delivered a lecture on "George Washington" in a clear manner. Mr. Liddy, who is a Canadian, loves and honors this great man-

In some parts of his delivery: "Of Julius Cæsar, Alexander the Great, Gustavus Adolphus, Frederick the Great, and others, George Washington was the greatest of all.

"George Washington fought for Liberty, Equality and Fraternity," he saluted George Washington and the Flag, and the audience joined him accordingly.

"If George Washington laid the foundation stone of the Greatest Nation in the world, was he not the greatest of all the great men? Washington trusted in God—played at Valley Forge and he won. "We have the greatest nation; but do not abuse the rights for which Washington fought.

"Rome abused her greatness—Roman amphitheatre—Romans now fruit peddlers.

"People have a wrong conception of *Liberty*—infringing on other people's rights."

Again the audience joined Mr. Liddy in saluting Washington and the flag. Mr. Liddy continued: "Let us not abuse our Liberty. If we want to continue to be great, we must obey the laws and continue to trust in God and emulate Washington's noble example, who was first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were sold as usual, by our everlasting hustler, Ben Beaver. Thank you.

At the close of the lecture Mrs. Nellie Kenney, who dressed in a colonial costume of Washington's day, recited "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," gracefully and beautifully. She received congratulations from all those who were present.

In honor of her young soldier brother's birthday, Mrs John Ulrich and her husband entertained in a charming manner, Sunday afternoon and evening, February 22d, at their home on 602 Garland Ave. There was a fine program given, which furnished delightful entertainment for the guests, and a delicious six o'clock dinner crowned the evening festivities. The guests appreciated the interest manifested by Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich. Mrs. Ulrich was assisted by Mrs. Robert Rollins The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John Crough, Mrs. Colby, Miss Colby, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Jones, Miss Nova Toll, and hearing guests of the house. Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich bought their home last fall, and are located in a fashionable neighborhood. After entering their house the guests feel very much at home.

A deaf man, living in Grand Rapids, whose wife was sick, was compelled to cook for the family. To beat the high cost of living, instead of using sugar for the important ingredient for syrup, Epsom Salts was used. The error was found out when the children refused to partake of "Dad's Buckwheat Cakes."

February must be a fine month—having 29 days—five of which are legal holidays and two others mentionable days, St Valentine and Ground Hog Day That leaves only 20 regular days and all employes receive their full pay just the same.

Mrs Wellman, of Chicago, visited her several children in Grand Rapids during the holidays The deaf gave a party in her honor, at the home of Mrs. Robinson, in Grand Rapids, before leaving for the former city.

January 4th, after a short bombardment, relatives and friends succeeded in capturing the home of Mr. and Mrs Loren Mars, of Grand Rapids, it being Mrs Mars' birthday.

Mrs. Pearl Tenney has accepted a position as a private tutor for a deaf boy of twenty one—Emory Bordeau—who did not have the opportunity of going to school in Flint, Michigan, when he was young Now he feels he is too old to attend schools with younger children. So his folks have obtained a private instructor for him.

The Y. M. C., an Industrial organization of Grand Rapids, had a boxing show some time ago at the armory. It was crowded to the doors. In the third bout, Harry Ford, a graduate of the Oral School of Grand Rapids, defeated Fred King of the Macy Furniture Co Harry Ford unloosened a series of right and left swings which Fred King blocked with his jaw until he was helpless, going down several times until the referee stopped the contest.

Messrs. J. M. Stewart and Eickoff, of Flint, were in Detroit on business Friday afternoon and evening, February 20th.

Detroit friends were sorry to learn of the recent death of Mrs Stover, of Cleveland, who was sick with the "flu."

Loren Mars, of Grand Rapids, invited his deaf friends to his home in observance of Watch Night, December 30th, 1919. While all were so deeply interested in the games, the change of weather that was ushered in, when Father Time made his exit, compelled all of the guests to stay over night.

Both Mr. and Mrs. David Friedman, of Cleveland, were seriously ill with the "flu" during the latter part of January and the first part of February, but were fortunate enough to pull through all right. Their aunt, who resides in Detroit, returned home from Cleveland some time ago, where she was called to take care of the sick Friedmans.

Mrs. Ivan Heymanson, who spent three weeks with her only brother in Nashville, Tenn., is back home in Detroit, February 19th.

The Kalamazoo folks are still hustling for the N. A. D. On Saturday evening, February 21st, they had a Washington-Lincoln Literary Program at the Auditorium, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Taylor. Icecream cones were sold like "hot cakes," and the profit was over $17 About forty deaf were in attendance.

On the night of March 13th, for the benefit of the Detroit Convention Fund, a program of St. Patrick's Day will be given by Mr and Mrs. John J. Voisine, at the auditorium in Kalamazoo. Every body is welcomed.

Rev. Charles made his first visit in Kalamazoo, Tuesday, February 10th. Services were held that evening at the Parish House. A reception was tendered to him at that place. He was the guest of the Voisines while staying in Kalamazoo, and went to Grand Rapids the following morning to hold services there.

It is much regretted to report that Mr. Clark, of Vicksburg, father of Grace Clark and Mrs. J. J. Voisine, is very critically ill at his home in Vicksburg, living with his youngest daughter, Grace. Mr. and Mrs Voisine go to see him every two weeks.

MRS C. C. COLBY.
No. 715 Jefferson Avenue, East

God's Providence.

"God moves in a mysterious way,
His wonders to perform:
He plants his footsteps on the sea,
And rides upon the storm."

God's Providence is also in all the incidents and occurrences of human life. In every need, unseen hands leave us, and invisible eyes watch opportunity to lend us assistance.

No one works or lives alone. Apparent solitude is peopled with an angelic host, standing ready to lift up the fallen and direct them when confused.

Sometimes a casual word uttered by a stranger or neighbour is the golden key that unlocks the problems that have puzzled us, or it may be a smile or a tear. Chance? No. Coincidence? No; it is God's guardian care. He notes the sparrow's fall; is not unmindful of a pain in our bodies or hearts, nor of a doubt in our minds. Pain: "Accidents" to teach some useful lesson. Everyday occurrences are disciplinary.

Step by step we move towards the right road to heaven on earth, and eternal life in the glorious future.

H. M. HALL.

January 17, 1920.

Last year I asked my best girl to become my wife. She said no. But I got even with the girl. I married her mother Then my father married the girl. Now I do not know what I am. When I married the girl's mother, the girl became my daughter, and when father married my daughter, she was my mother. Who am I? My mother's mother (which is my wife) must be my grandmother, and I became my grandmother's husband. I am my own grandfather.—*N. Y. Globe.*

GALLAUDET HOME.

It is hardly necessary to state that the great storm of wind and snow of February 4th was felt quite severely in this locality, since nearly every square mile of the whole country suffered more or less from its effects. The manufacturing town of Wappinger's Falls, which is three miles from here, and which has a population of some five thousand inhabitants, was for a short time on the verge of a famine, owing to the roads being in an untraversable condition. The town of Poughkeepsie, which is about eight miles from Wappinger's Falls, was prompt in going to its rescue, and so the people were able to procure all the provisions they wanted. The snowdrifts around the Home itself were so deep that hardly anybody could make their way through them. Some of the men were engaged to shovel away the snow from the balcony above the roadway, and and in performing the task they unconsciously pitched the snow into the roadway below, so that it was, and still is, impossible for a sleigh or any other kind of a vehicle to drive up to the long asphalt piazza, which is but a foot above the ground. In spite of the almost impassable condition of the roadway that leads down to the farm-house and up to the entrance to the farmstead, Mr. Samuel Gardner, the Superintendent of the farm, managed to come up to the Home in the morning as usual with a quantity of milk, eggs and apples, etc, for the use of the household, and he is spoken of as a hero He also kept up his regular morning trips to Wappinger's Falls with his supply of milk for the market. He continued to make his way there and back again with his team and sleigh, at a time when the road was not yet open and travel was tedious.

It snowed a little up here before Christmas Day, and the presence of the beautiful white sheet that covered every square inch of the landscape made it look more like Christmas than all the lovely and attractive decorations the personnel of the Home could put up in some of the large rooms. Although lonesome and monotonous as life usually is at the Home, the Christmastide was spent quite pleasantly. Most of the inmates received presents from their friends and relatives On Christmas morning, Mrs. Nora Scales, the cook, gave each of the men a package of Level Head tobacco. From the Home each member of the family received seventy-five cents, and a quarter of a dollar from a church at Wappinger's Falls. Mr. James H. Caton, who is blind, deaf, and dumb, has been a resident of the Home for the past fifteen years, received a bundle of large and handsome almanacs from some big firm, and gave one to each member of the family.

On Sunday, the twenty first of December, the furnace which is in the basement went on the rampage and the plumbers had some hard work fixing it When they were ready to go home in their car, at eight o'clock in the evening, the radiator of their self-moving carriage was cold Its fire had gone out. A few pails of hot water thrown on it restored its heat, and so Mr. Clarence Knight and James Cheetham were able to fly away home.

Late in January a severe cold wave made its appearance and then the water in the tank, or the pipes connecting it froze, and so the household had to go without its usual supply of water for a couple of days. Some of the folks had to drink rain water. For a whole day the plumbers worked at the tank and finally succeeded in causing the water to run, and then there was joy in the household.

One day, a couple of weeks ago, while Mr. I. N. Soper was walking to and fro on the piazza, he happened to look up at the roof of the house, and as he did so he saw a huge chunk of snow as big as a flour barrel, and perhaps as heavy as a barrel of flour, on the edge of the overhanging eaves, and thinking it might fall or slide off at any time during to prevailing thaw, he determined to remove it if he possibly could. He immediately secured a broom, and coming up into my bed room, his person half way out of my window and with the sweep end of the broom gave the chunk of snow a vigorous push and it fell to the ground as flat as a pancake.

Some time before the commencement of the Christmastide I wrote the famous blind deaf lady, Miss Helen Keller, who was living at that time down in Montgomery, Alabama, a short letter congratulating her for her interesting essay on "Optimism," which I had lately read. She wrote me late in January, and said, among other things, "I wish I could put into your hands the beautiful flowers that bloom here all winter. I wish I could take you out in the warm sunshine. I walk a good deal, and my friends describe to me everything I cannot touch. There is always something of interest going on in a place full of birds, big trees and creeks. I hope you enjoy the country; because if you do it will always be a comfort to you."

Mrs. Mary Newell Nelson, who left here for Florida, where she is spending the winter season, sent me, during the Christmastide, some dwarfed oranges with their leaves. They are just like the oranges we see and eat here in the Temperate Zone, though they are no bigger than the marbles the small boy loves to play with. They taste like the large oranges. They grow in Japan and other countries. Mrs Nelson is living at a small place called Bayard. She sent Mr. Soper a Christmas card.

Mr C. Q. Mann came up here on the afternoon of the 24th of January, and delivered an address in the chapel the following morning. At one o'clock P.M. he was taken to New Hamburg in a sleigh, and the moment he reached the station he met Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson, who had just arrived from Painfield, N. J., where they had spent seven weeks with their married daughter, Minnie.

The waitress, Miss Tillie Weeks, who came here to work late in the summer of last year, left here on the 1st of February, and Miss Lauretta Smith has her place. Miss Smith came here to work as a waitress in September, 1918, and left here last July and went to work in a factory at Wappinger's Falls.

The editor of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Mr. E. A Hodgson, who is Secretary of the Executive Committee, came up here on the 20th inst., along with Mr. McMann, on business. They arrived here at noon and remained until the morning of the day following, when they left for the metropolis. They enjoyed their visit and chatted pleasantly and freely with the inmates.

In the course of a conversation with some of the members of the family, Mr. Hodgson remarked that Rev. John Chamberlain, the vicar of St. Ann's Church for the Deaf, went out and shovelled snow in front of the church after the storm was over. The venerable preacher is now in his eighty second year, and yet he appears only half that age. After seeing how my typewriter worked, Mr. Hodgson went into Mr. Soper's room where they had a chat. They are life long friends.

At three A.M., on the third day of March, Mrs. Sarah Jane Bayne, who had been a resident of the Home for thirteen years and eight months and who was in the seventy-fourth year of her age, died here, after an illness of about five weeks. Rev. John Chamberlain arrived here at noon on the fourth of March, and delivered the funeral service over the remains of the deceased, which rested in a plain coffin on chairs in front of the pulpit. Besides the members or the family, all the domestics, with the exception of the janitor, were assembled in the chapel. Rev. Chamberlain delivered his services orally as well as by signs, simultaneously, for the benefit of the hearing persons present. Immediately after the service was over, the coffin with its contents was taken by the undertakers to an awaiting sleigh and conveyed to Wappingers Falls and put in a cemetery vault, where it will remain until the snows of winter pass away and it is possible to dig a grave for it at the graveyard belonging to the Home. STANLEY.

The biggest coward is the man who is afraid of hard work.

BALTIMORE.

A series of tableaux were given last Monday by the Catholic Deaf-Mutes, under the direction of Rev. Michael Purtel, at Loyola College Hall. The tabieaux were of different classes—religious, patriotic, and in the lighter vein. The first class depicted such well known pictures as "The Rock of Ages," "The Angelus," "The Guardian Angel," "The Madonna of the Rose," and numerous other equally as interesting spectacles. The patriotic tableaux consisted of several settings, representing "The Red Cross Nurse," "Miss Liberty," and "Uncle Sam," and were followed by a number of comic settings made up to represent various well known products familiarly represented in our daily papers

The presentation was made with considerable skill, and gave evidence of thorough management throughout the entire performance. Much credit was due to Rev Father Purtell's skill, direction, and management. The funds derived from the sale of seats are to be used for the benefit of St. Francis Xavier School for the Deaf at Irvington, and for a club house for the adult deaf-mutes.

Those who took part in the play, were the Misses McHaley, Mellock, Spahn, Pulaski, Fielder, and Messrs Fielder, Nopplenberg, and others.

There are about one hundred and ninety pupils attending the deaf schools. Maryland School leads, 130, St. Francis Xavier's, 40, and the Day School, 20

The Deaf Mutes enjoyed a big "get together" Valentine Social last Saturday, in the assembly hall, under the auspices of the Baltimore Frats. Although a large attendance had been anticipated, the gathering of the mutes that responded taxed the hall, and another small hall on the same floor was pressed into service. Valentine stories, jokes, new games and dancing, continued until midnight, when refreshments were served to all. Candies and cakes were brought in, and the bidding was pretty brisk from start to finish. The highest bid was five dollars, which would indicate that the bidders were a prosperous lot of bread winners. Chairman Leitner took charge of the affair, and was ably supported by Messrs. Leitch, Behrens, Stone and Boynton.

President Kauffman, of the Silent A. C., will have a meeting next Tuesday, and some of the discussions will be the laying off of a baseball ground, adoption of schedules, signals, etc., and the prospects of being admitted in the league Following are the players that will start the 1920 race: catchers, Leitch, Brehens and Smick, pitchers, Leitner, Downes, Elliot, Stern; infielders Neuberger, Kauffman, Foxwill, Demarco, Hetzler, Stern, and outfielders, Boynton, Sowell, Baynes, Clark, Mills, Price Lewis, O'Neal, Sandbeck, Phillips, and Smithers

Manager Leitner would like to hear from the Manager of Phila. S. A. C. and N. Y S. A. C., to arrange games for "championship" of the East. His address is 1909 Kennedy Ave, Baltimore, Md.

Mr Cobb Boynton has been striving to reduce his weight, but in spite of long walks and going without lunch at noon, the scale registers—? Now he has purchased a pair of roller skates, and he may be seen taking daily strenuous exercise on one of the Highlandtown rinks. Hope he will soon become slim and sylplike, and be in a good condition when the bell rings "Play ball"

By the way, Mr. Gary Davis, who is considered to be one of the best roller skaters in this city, is often seen at the popular skating rinks, giving an exhibition of fancy skating.

Mr. Wroth Hetzler, '19, of Gallaudet College, is taking a higher course in chemistry at Johns Hopkins University.

Mr. Platasky's business in Highlandtown has been multiplied, which compels him to employ three men to do pegging, sewing, shining by the machinery. He has a modern shoe machine shop.

Mr. Ray Kauffman reported having a hilarious time in New York, When he attended the mask ball held by the Greater New York Frats. He was a guest of his deaf brother, who is a chipper at Brooklyn Navy Yard.

Mrs. John Trundle (*nee* Miss Barry), is spending a brief visit in this city. She is always welcome among us.

Mrs. Geo. M. Leitner recently went to see her daughter, and also attended the play which was given by Miss Radcliffe's class.

Miss A. Grob gave a Valentine Party to her friends, at Grace and St. Peter's Parish House. Those who went there enjoyed the evening immensely. Cakes, candies, and cocoa were served to all.

Mr. John Trieschman, one of our social members, is still at his old trade of Wheelwright. He is long past fifty-five and unmarried, without any gray hair. He is doing his part to make the world safe for Bachelors, and has the solid cooperation of his side kick, Bro. Kauffman.

W Harman, who has not been in press publicity since he was sent to Viginia, is occasionally amongst us dolled up in classy clothes and with a touch of refinement. He has secured a position at the American Label Co., where Messrs. Feast and Smith work.

The S. A. C. Basket Ball Team has been going pretty strong this year. Now they are playing for the championship of Baltimore. They meet the North Western A. C. this week, to settle the dispute for championship of this city.

Recently the Maryland School for the Deaf sent a team of girls to Martinsburg, W Va, to play the High School Basket Ball Team, who won every game, and the mutes found them an easy proposition and beat them by a heavy score.

Mr. Drake, of Gallaudet College, gave a talk on the Life of George Washington, at Rev. Mr. Moylan's Church last Sunday. His signs were slow and clear and under standable. After the talk, he gave some points why we should join the N. A. D. Mr. Moylan is our State organizer.

Rev. O. J. Whildin, who was on his missionary tour in Virginia and West Virginia for a week, has returned home in time to conduct the services today.

Rev. D. E. Moylan is in Frederick under a doctor's care. He has not been feeling well since the flu left him a year ago.

G. M. L.

In Memoriam.

WHEREAS, God in His all-wise Providence has seen fit to enter the Supreme Council and New York Council, No. 2, Knights of De l'Epee, and remove from our midst and fraternal activities, our beloved Supreme Knight and brother member, Thomas J. Grogan; and,

WHEREAS, We feel that our loss is his eternal gain, we bow in humble submission to the Divine decree; and,

WHEREAS, His death, as in all well-spent and ordered lives, has come all too soon;

WHEREAS, Those who knew him best, loved him most for those sterling qualities which made him an ideal fraternal brother and neediest friend at all times, and whose unique personal character made his calling to the Heavenly Father doubly hard to realize and become reconciled to; his dealings with his fellowmen were gentle, kindly and benevolent; his life was open to all, and in his going there is left a memory, sweet though painful, of a splendid companion, friend, fellow-member, who died as he had lived in the perfect assurance of having fought the good fight and having kept the faith with himself and his fellow-members; therefore, be it

Resolved, In the full knowledge that his going was for the best in his hour of suffering, but feeling that the sympathetic words of his companions and fellow-members may in a measure help to heal the wound made by his death, we, the members of the New York Council, No. 2, in regular meeting assembled, extend our deep and sincere condolences to his sister; and as a further evidence of our esteem, be it further,

Resolved, That the New York Council, No. 2, enter the name of the deceased member in the prepetual membership of the Purgatorial Society of the Church of St. Francis Xavier. May the weariness and strife of this life be recompensed by peace and joy in the better life awaiting, where pain and sorrow are unknown; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the sister of the deceased member; a copy of these resolutions be placed in the minutes of this council; and copies sent to the *Catholic Deaf-Mute*, St. Joseph of the Oaks, and the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL for publication.

EUGENE M. LYNCH.
JEREMIAH V. FIVES.
JOHN M. O'DONNEL.

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Wherever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

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THE most extraordinary proposition of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company of Akron, that a preparatory course for admission to Gallaudet College will be given to worthy deaf-mute aspirants, deserves a lot of consideration.

As we read it, only the fit will be given the opportunity, as it includes a plan to give the college aspirants positions in the plant, and enable them to earn money during the time their education is being carried forward to the point of admission to the Freshman Class at Gallaudet. Therefore it will require that a physical, as well as mental standard, must be attained before enrollment.

Our correspondent gives assurance that the plan is favorably regarded by President Hall of Gallaudet College. And furthermore it includes the wise and necessary provision that only *graduates* of schools for the deaf are eligible, and can only be admitted upon the written recommendation of the heads of the respective schools which they have attended.

The Goodyear Company is not posing as a philanthropic or charitable corporation. It is a keen and far-sighted business proposition. It is axiomatic that general education is the basis of general prosperity—an enlightened community is invariably a progressive community; and as the Goodyear plant is a big community in itself, it follows that the plant will reap the benefit of a consistent and progressive effort looking to a higher educated class of employes. And in the present instance the deaf are not the inspiring cause for this movement at Goodyear. They have generously been granted the privilege of participating in the benefits of a scheme for higher education.

No doubt there will be some form of agreement to be signed on both sides, so that the benefits derived by the individual will in equal measure be shared by the Company.

ON Saturday, March 6th, Mrs. Caroline Shaw, eldest daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Thomas Gallaudet, passed away. Many of the deaf of New York, who knew and esteemed her very highly, will receive this announcement with much sorrow.

Mrs. Shaw was a very handsome lady, with a grace and dignity heightened by a pleasant friendliness. Until the death of her husband, Mr. Alex. D. Shaw, a few years ago, they had lived in Staten Island for about thirty-five years, with the exception of occasional visits to her son in England. Mrs. Shaw was present at the dinner of the Metropolitan Chapter of the Gallaudet College Alumni Association on December 10th, 1919. For many years she and her husband had attended these Alumni celebrations of "Gallaudet Day," with one or two exceptions because of their absence abroad.

The JOURNAL editor pays sincere tribute to the memory of this good and amiable gentlewoman.

MR. HENRY GAILLARD, editor of the *Gazette des Sourds-Muets*, 99 Rue de la Mare, Paris, France, desires us to ask American correspondents to note that the postage required on letters to France is five cents. Many times of late letters have been sent to him with only a two-cent stamp affixed, and he has been obliged to pay an additional three cents. Every one ought to know that the postage required upon letters sent to France is five cents.

MUCH news is unavoidably postponed till next issue for lack of room.

AKRON, O.

Miss Ruth Wilson, of the Idaho School, is employed in the General Office at Goodyear. She came here from Oklahoma, where she had been teacher of gymnastics.

A. D. Martin, of the Labor Department, has found his work increasing so fast that it has been necessary to employ a clerk to attend to some of his duties. As John Frater, brother of Leo, is familiar with the sign language, he has been appointed to the position. Hereafter Mrs. Arthur Shawl will attend to the women exclusively.

C. C. Codman is still in demand as a story teller. He recently was called to Detroit to give "Around the World in Eighty Days."

The meeting held in the Goodyear Gymnasium February 22d, in the interests of the N. A. D, was a big success. There were at least five hundred present. N. A. D. films were shown, and also two reels of the Goodyear film, "The Story of the Fabric Tire." The Goodyear film is available to State schools, and can be obtained by writing to the Movie Department of that firm. The N. A. D. films were somewhat diappointing. Not on account of the subjects or the speakers, but on the poor condition of the films themselves. They are so old that they are hardly worth circulating any longer. Many of them have parts missing. For instance the films of McGregor and Dr. Fay had at least two-thirds missing. There is no real excuse for this condition, as there are several thousand dollars still in the Movie Fund of the N. A. D., and it is about time new prints were made. The N. A. D. might also set about having some new films made of new speakers After the movie show, Miss Cloa Lamson was introduced. She gave a tale on the purpose of the N. A. D. and what it was trying to accomplish. She made a good impression, and it is certain that Tom J. Blake will be able to enroll quite a membership here. Detroit can expect at least three or four hundred from Akron at N. the A. D. convention in August.

Professor Gillespie, who was superintendent of the Nebraska School for sixteen years, lectured to the deaf at the East Market Street Church, Sunday, February 29th. He had for his subject the "Plan of God's Redemption." Prof. Gillespie is a past master of the sign language, and his lecture was well attended.

Due to the illness of President Anderson of the N. F. S. D., Tom J. Blake has been acting president. He was recently in Chicago to transact necessary business.

The Gallaudet O. W. L. S. have finally organized a branch here. They recently were the guests of Mrs. Dewey Deer at the Charles Schmit home and organized. The officers elected were Mrs. Edetha Williams Unsworth, '09, President; Mrs. Gertrude Kutzleb, '08, Vice-President; Mrs. Ethel Wickham Farquhar, ex-'15, Secretary; Miss Katie Keely, '16, Treasurer.

Twenty-three candidates were initiated by the local division of the N. F. S. D. There were over forty to be initiated, but only twenty-three put in appearance. The initiation was an unusually good one. Akron Division has 230 resident members at present.

March 27th has definitely been decided upon as the date for the banquet of the local division of the N. F. S. D. The banquet will be held at Art's Cafe on East Market Street. Art's is a brand new place, right opposite the Goodyear Factory Office. It is convenient to anybody and the best place possible for such an event. It is planned to have President Anderson here as guest.

The Goodyear mutes have finally decided upon the sign for Goodyear. When there is occasion to say Goodyear now, they simply spell off the letters GY. We wonder what the Firestone mutes will do about their sign. If they try to make their sign FS, they will get mixed up with the Goodyear Flying Squadron, which has been known as the FS all along.

V. E. O.

PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reide, 1538 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

On Thursday afternoon, February 26th, at a few minutes before four o'clock, Mrs. Hannah Elizabeth Houston, beloved wife of Washington Houston, passed away from a complication of diseases such as are common to many people of her age, which was past past 74. We mourn this death, because of the excellent womanly qualities she had exhibited in the long time she lived here, practically all her life. Though not possessed of a high education, she was yet able to wield such an influence for good over her husband that he trusted her more than any one else and became very deeply attached to her. In this way she was truly a noble soul. As wife, mother and grandmother, she was the same. As friends and one of us, she was the the same. Of a quiet, unassuming disposition, pleasant looking, kind hearted, considerate and thoughtful, she made friends and kept them. Hers was a busy home life, in which she seemed so well fitted, but, unlike Martha, she also found time to sit at the feet of Jesus and to love and serve him. So she was a consistent communicant of All Souls' Church for the Deaf.

Mrs. Houston's maiden name was Hannah E. Franks. She was educated at the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. It is said that she inherited a comfortable sum of money from her parents; however, she never got possession of it, being cheated out of it by a mean trick, which she did not suspect until too late She was married to Mr. Houston forty-five years ago, after a courtship which lasted about seven years.

Although Mrs. Houston had not been in the best of health for a long while previous to her last illness, she was able to continue at her household duties until about six weeks ago. She then took suddenly ill and her illness proved to be of a serious nature, both her heart and kidneys being affected, and she gradually grew worse and suffered two light strokes on her right side which hastened the end. Besides the grief-stricken husband, one daughter, Mrs. Anna A. Shaw, with whom the mother and father made their home in Frankford for the last six years, survive her. Heartfelt sympathy is felt for them in their bereavement.

Mr. Houston has been an agent for the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, of New York City, for many years, and consequently is well and familiarly know to many deaf-mutes, both here and elsewhere, who doubtless wish to join with me in extending him sympathy.

On February 22d, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Eakins, of Reading, Pa., celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary by a dinner and family reunion, at the home of a daughter in Wyomissing, which is a part of West Reading. In remembrance of the happy occasion a number of their deaf friends of Reading gathered at the aged couple's home on Saturday evening, February 21st, knowing they would not be home on the day following, which was the anniversary proper, to offer them their congratulations, gifts of flowers and a purse of gold. That the couple are very popular at home was amply attested by these gifts. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ritchie, formerly of Reading, but now living in Harrisburg, sent a telegram of congratulations.

Mr. Eakin's sister, Mrs. Elmira Anderson, of Tacoma, Washington, who celebrated her golden wedding anniversary six years ago, sent her purple velour table mat on which to display the gifts of gold which were numerous. A daughter, Mrs. Minnie Anderson Howarth, of Willow Grove, Philadelphia, represented her mother at the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Eakins were overwhelmed by the congratulations and gifts of their friends on this anniversary, and it is needless to say that they enjoyed the occasion greatly. The former will be 74 years old next April 15th, and the latter is only two years younger. The JOURNAL correspondent, who is an old friend of the couple, wishes to add his hearty congratulations to those of others.

One of the tersest, brightest, devoutest', newiest, admirable and instructive and interesting little parish papers that we have seen, is that published by St. Andrew's Mission, of Boston, Mass, and edited by the Rev. G H. Hefflon. We hardly think the paper could be improved upon, except by enlarging it. We are very glad to be favored with a copy as oft as it is published. Thanks!

After the Lenten service at All Souls' on Thursday evening, February 26th, Mr. Harry E. Stevens exhibited some interesting and instructive lantern slides, which he borrowed from the U. S. Department of Health and Hygiene. The subject was Alaskan Indians, their living conditions, etc. It is a hobby with Mr. Stevens to give such instructive exhibitions.

Mrs. Edgar Richards, of Reading, Pa, has been confined to the house with a cold, and Mrs. Clement A. Parlaman, of the same place, slipped on an icy pavement recently and suffered a bad sprain, but both are recovering.

Miss Capitola E Biery and Mrs. Christian Snyder, of Reading, spent a recent Sunday at Harrisburg as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ritchie.

It is quite a while since we saw Mr. and Mrs R. M. Ziegler, of Mt. Airy. Inquiry brought out the fact that both have been keeping close to their "Castle" on Mt. Pleasant Avenue, suffering with colds.

James Doodson, a former Mt. Airy graduate, who lived for some years in Los Angeles, Cal., and then brought his family East, returned to the Golden State this month. Ill health induced Mrs. Doodson to go West with the children several months before.

Philadelphia Division, No 30, N. F. S. D., will celebrate its tenth anniversary by a dinner next Fall. The affair will be in charge of the following committee: Messrs. John A. Roach, Harry E Stevens and Hugh Cusack.

On February 22d, the Daughters of Beth Israel Temple entertained the members of the Beth Israel Association for the Deaf with a legerdemain exhibition, Professor Alpigini performing. Following it, the members were treated to refreshments.

From the *Record*, February 28th, we glean the following:

"Motion picture exhibitions are a great delight to the deaf. Every Saturday the children of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf at Mount Airy have been in the habit of attending the motion picture theatres in Germantown in large numbers. Now, however, the institution will have its own "movie" shows, for a motion-picture machine has been bought for the school, and there is an exhibition of standard films every Saturday night at the school."

Mr. Daniel Paul was confined to the house for a couple of weeks with an attack of grippe and is just about again. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones also suffered an attack, but we believe are recovering. Mr. Stevens and Mr. Buxton both had injured ribs which are slowly mending. The former's was caused by a fall on the ice and the latter's by a squeeze, accidentally received a la masculine.

About the middle of March, Mr. Albert C. Buxton will move with his family and household effects to Bethlehem, Pa., to reside permanently. Both of his sons have found employment at the Bethlehem Steel Company's works here.

SILENT ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

The newly organized Silent Athletic Club is making remarkable progress. The club membership is now in the neighborhood of one hundred members. The treasury, though the club has been in progress only eight months, runs well into the hundreds.

The only barrier is the inability to secure suitable club rooms. All this is due to the housing situation in Philadelphia, which, I hear, prevails almost everywhere else. Rather than take what we can get, the members are in favor of waiting a while, or to when things become normal, and get what we want.

The club is represented on the basket ball floor by the Silent Stars, who have made an excellent record during the past two years. The team has played nine games, against teams composed entirely of the deaf, in Philadelphia, and have been defeated only once, and that was when the crack Connecticut Silent turned the trick on Christmas.

The club has been invited to compete in the Track Meet which will be held under the auspices of the Men's Club of St. Ann's Church in New York, on April 17th. The invitation has been accepted, and will send some runners whose names have been carved in the athletic history at the local institution. It is very likely that Jennings, whose reputation as a runner cannot be questioned, is known among the deaf as well as the hearing as the school boy who never lost a race. He first sprang into prominence when, at the age of sixteen, he ran off with the mile and a half mile event from the best runners from Girard College and Southern High School. The following year he again won the two events from such schools as Germantown High and St. Francis High, and he also captained the first winning relay team at the University of Pennsylvania Relay Carnival.

Another boy who will bear watching will be Ginley. This boy is considered as the fastest sprinter that ever ran under the colors of the local school. His greatest feat was at the Relay Carnival at Franklin Field, when he, running as anchor man, did the quarter mile in 49⅘ seconds, which is only two seconds behind the world's record held by the great Ted Meredith. All said the Silent Athletic Club will be represented with others in the person of Don Smith, Steer, Robinson, Cusack and Rothemund.

An exciting basket ball game was played on the Nicetown Boys' Club floor on Saturday evening, February 28th, which resulted in a victory for the Silent Stars over the Silent Five from Baltimore. Score 32 to 27.

The first half was nip and tuck, with both teams playing hard, aggressive basket ball. The Stars drew first blood on a field goal by Orberg, but this lead was short lived when King, the visitors' brilliant center man, shot a twopointer on a sucker shot. The Stars went into the lead again on a free throw by McManus and were never headed after that, the first half ending 15 to 14 in favor of the Stars.

The start of the second half found both teams playing on the defensive, with both teams adding a point now and then. With five minutes of the second half gone, Cusack took Orberg's place at forward, while the latter moved over to center in place of McManus, who seemed to have an off night. The change did a world of good. They changed their style of play, and resorted to short, snappy passing, which was featured by remarkable floor work. Field goals in rapid succession by Ginley, Orberg and Cusack, put the game on ice, and the remaining minutes were spent in frozing the ball.

Don Smith was easily the shining light for the home team. He scored five baskets, besides preventing his man from scoring. His passing and floor work was excellent. King alone played best for the boys from Baltimore, caging seven baskets. The Baltimorians have a good heavy team, but are not quite up to the standard in passing and floor work. With a little more coaching and passing, they would be able to hold their own with any team in their class.

Line up:

Silent Stars	Position	Silent Five
Smith	F.	Kauffman
Orberg	F.	Sewell
McManus	C.	King
Ginley	G.	Leitch
Robinson	G.	Burherri

Substitutions: Weinstein for Burherri; Cusack for Orberg; Orberg for McManus. Timers, King and Hetzler. Referee, Jennings. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

IOWA.

Another former Superintendent and good friend of the deaf, Reuben E. Stewart, has been taken from us. During the past nine years he had been a teacher at the Iowa School for the Deaf, this year being the instructor in Physics, Agriculture and Civil Government. To those most closely associated with him at the school, it is hard to realize we shall see him no more among us. Mr. Stewart had seemed in about his usual health, and had been meeting his classes all the week just before being taken ill. On Saturday, January 31st, he had been in Omaha and Council Bluffs most of the day, and had intended going to Keokuk on Sunday with the remains of his friend, Superintendent Rothert.

That night he was taken sick, and a doctor being called pronounced it pneumonia. Sunday morning, February 1st, he was taken to the Edmundson Hospital, Council Bluffs. It was a strange course of events, as Superintendent Rothert's funeral was held that afternoon. Mr. Stewart died early Friday morning, February 6th. A few days before a new law had gone into effect, forbidding public funerals of flu and pneumonia victims, and a private funeral was held at Cutler's Chapel, Council Bluffs. For this reason his pupils and many of his associates could not be present. We have been told of the simple and beautiful services, and the tribute of his friend and business associate, Mr. J. W. Detwiler, of Omaha, is here given, which we clip from *Silent Facts*:

It is now about fifty-eight years since Reuben E. Stewart was born in the State of Pennsylvania. Of that family circle into which he was then ushered, there now survive Mr. S. Fuller Stewart, Mr. George Stewart and Mr. Harris Stewart, brothers, and Mrs. Mary Campbell, a sister, all living in and near Pasadena, California.

When a young man, we find Mr. Stewart engaged in the carpet business in the city of Des Moines, Ia. But almost thirty years ago, he became interested in the education of the deaf, and took up the work of teaching in the State Institution for the Deaf at Omaha, Neb. Here he spent a number of years. Later, in recognition of his worth and merit, he was made the able and efficient Superintendent of the school, and served as such for a number of years. He then engaged in the banking business and organized the Loretto State Bank at Loretto, Neb., of which he was cashier, and is even yet its vice-president. From this post, however, he was again called to the Superintendency of the Nebraska School for the Deaf, and served as such for some years. For the past eight years he has been an instructor in the Iowa School for the Deaf near this city. During all his school work, he was a close, staunch and intimate friend of Superintendent Henry W. Rothert, and it is a strange coincidence that Mr. Rothert's death should only precede that of Mr. Stewart one week, and have been caused by the same fatal malady.

Mr. Stewart was twice married. His first wife died about twenty years ago, leaving a daughter, Eleanor, who still survives as the issue of that happy marriage. Some years ago he married Miss Nora O. Johnson, who also survives him, after a short, but most delightful and happy married life. These two are present with us today.

When Superintendent Rothert's sudden death surprised and shocked us a week ago, Mr. Stewart was among the first to extend his personal comfort and sympathy, as an old and long-time friend to the bereaved family. He actively assisted in the needed preparation for the burial of him he had known so well. But a week ago last night he felt an attack of the deadly disease that had taken his friend Though taken to the Edmundson Hospital, he was unable to rally from his illness, and at 6:20 o'clock last Friday morning, February 6th, 1920, death relieved him of his sufferings.

Mr. Stewart was a man of strong and loyal friendships, sympathetic and kind to all. He wanted to be a help to those in need, and it may be said that this was the lure that caused him to take up the work of instructing the deaf. He truly paved his life's way with good and noble deeds.

Many years ago he became a member of the Central United Presbyterian Church of Omaha, Neb., in which faith he firmly and devoutedly believed, and whose doctrines and teachings he truly practiced and nobly exemplified by a conscientious, upright and worthy life, in conduct and character, proving himself a workman that needed not be ashamed.

In life's prime, death's call came suddenly and unexpectedly to him, yet it did not find him unprepared. His house was in order. His moral accounts were in balance. He was ready for life's solemn surrender, and when the dread messenger had made his certain summons clear and unmistakable, in the sacred moments of last Thursday afternoon he confided to his wife, while she was keeping her holy vigil by his bedside, the secret of his strength. Christ was his all in all, and then with difficulty, he repeated the beautiful words of Bryant:

"So live, that when thy summons come to join
The innumerable caravan, which moves
To that mysterious realm, where each shall take
His chamber in the silent halls of death,
Thou go not, like the quarry-slave as night,
Scourged to his dungeon, but, sustained and soothed
By an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave,
Like one who wraps the drapery of hit couch
About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams."

Reuben E. Stewart is gone. The places that have know him shall hereafter know him no more. But his spirit yet lives with us. He has left a fragrant and beautiful memory, in a life of noble, helpful and kind deeds, that has made our lives all richer and better because we have known him as our friend in life's crowded ways of duty and action.

Another touching tribute was the funeral sermon by Rev. Charles Herron, D.D., of the faculty of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Omaha, who was a boyhood friend of Mr. Stewart in Pennsylvania. It is such an unusal thing that a boyhood friendship is renewed in later years, and that one delivers the funeral sermon over the other friend. Rev. Herron made the remarks without notes, and as he said, "from the depths of his heart," but at the request of friends later wrote them down, and we feel sure Mr. Stewart's many friends will be interested in reading the same:—

I came to bear a friend's tribute to a friend. For over forty years I have known the one who has been called from us so suddenly. We were boys together at the old High School of Pittsburgh, Pa. In the class he was my most intimate friend. I was often in the home of his brother and sister with whom he lived in his student days, and he was often in my father's home. We tramped and camped together and enjoyed a close fellowship. He was already a youth of marked individuality. The traits which were outstanding in later years, had already begun to manifest themselves. He was not one who was sent to school, but who came to school. He knew for what he came, and was intent to make the most of his opportunity. By all his school fellows he was held in high esteem. After his graduation, he attended Westminster College at New Wilmington, Pa., where he graduated, while I took my college course in the Western University of Pennsylvania.

Our ways parted, though or we kept sight of each other through the passing years, and when I came to Omaha, more than fifteen years ago, one of the privilges which became mine was the renewal of the old fellowship. We were to each other the link which bound us to the days of boyhood, the sight of each other quickened in us memories of the years which were long gone. He was the only person in this whole region, who aside from my own wife, called me by my first name. To me he was Reuben, and to him I was Charlie. The very calling of the names spanned the long reach of the years, and in his removal from our midst there has been taken from myself one who stood in a relationship peculiar to us two, and which none other could quite share.

Already in his High School days there was manifest that moral earnestness and spiritual devotion which marked his later career. It was not a surprise to those of us who knew him when we heard that he had given himself to that which afterward proved to be his life work. I recall how, one day at the noon hour in our home, my mother turned to him and said: "Reuben, will you ask the blessing?" I had never known him to have been called on before for that service. It was a test to a High School boy. But like a good soldier, without a moment's hesitation, he bowed his head and asked grace as though he had been accustomed to doing it all his life. It was the strong, sturdy stock of which he came, making itself manifest in the quiet hour of testing. It was the good old custom which became the custom of his own home and of his life. In these later years that we have been together, sometimes the other has performed that service, in humble recognization of Divine goodness and care.

And that same moral and religious earnestness marked him in the service of the Deaf Institute of Nebraska, when it was under his care. I marked with interest his devotion to his work and the development which came under his fostering hands. It was a joy to me to know that on Sabbath he ministered to the young people under his oversight, conducting a service of worship and addressing them on moral and religious themes. It was not a perfunctory fulfillment of his responsibility, but a real interest in their moral welfare and upbuilding.

And when he came to these last days, it was that same sustaining faith in the God of his fathers that carried him down into the valley of the shadow with the same quiet and poise which had been manifest in all his life. An old favorite, Bryant's Thanatopsis, learned, I think, away back in our school days, one which he had often given to the children during the years of his activity, was again in heart and mind, and upon his hands he signed it to his wife. And a word of Holy Writ was the most expressive of his hope and trust, as he laid his hand upon his heart and said, "Bless the Lord, Oh my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name." It was the faith of his people, the faith of his boyhood, the faith of his mature years, that was with him still. And while today we mourn our loss, with him it is well. Farewell, old friend, until we see thee in a better home.

Mrs. Stewart, Miss Jennie Hambel and Mr. Detweiler, accompanied the body to Des Moines, Iowa, where brief services were held on February 9th. Miss Stewart was graduated from Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts, last June. She has now gone back to Cleveland, Ohio, to complete her course at a business college there.

A. K. B.

KANSAS CTY, MO.

A good-sized crowd attended the annual Masquade Ball of the Kansas City, N. F. S. D.

Mrs. Bayne, near Moberly, Mo., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Parker. We always like to see her. Her husband has a farm and an automobile Miss Hartzler works for them.

Some people of Kansas City, Mo. and Kan., besides Rosedale, Merriam and Independence, are purchasing new homes on account the high rent demanded. Some of the deaf have bought houses, among then Mr. C. Laughlin, Mr. Keeley, Mr. Woods and Mr. Pasley.

Mrs. R. Hartzel, wife of Bro. Ralph Hartzel, who underwent an operation, is recovery rapidly.

S. Riley claims that he will get $10,000 a year in a few years. He is studying the course for accountant and book-keeper.

Bro. Conway and wife celebrated their first wedding anniversary on the 26th of February. They received many useful presents. Twelve people attended the party.

Bro. Walter Chase is a great bowler, and also Otto Bell, his partner. They purchased two new balls for $19.75 each. They have good records.

The stork gave Bro. Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins good cheer. It is a boy.

Mr. Preston, of Montana, received a certificate from the Sweeny Auto School. We guess that he knows the course of study. He is a close friend to L. Davis.

Bro. C. Laughlin has a good heart to help some mutes to get work in the cabinet and furniture factory. They get good pay. C. Laughlin is acting like a foreman to the six mutes. The Superintendent of the Company is pleased with their work.

CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF MUTES.

St. Ann's Church, 3 P.M.
St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn, 3 P.M.

NEW YORK.

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A few words of information in a letter postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest

XAVIER ALLIED NOTES

The main hall of Xavier College re-echoed with the tread of 200 and more Xavier Ephphetans last Sunday. At the entrance to Xavier Alumni Hall, a cordial handshake and that copyrighted smile of Rev. Father Hugh Dalton, S J., acted like a 100 per cent Government Bond, assuring one and all their new pastor was with them and for the upbuilding of the X E. S.

Rev. Father announced a Mission at Xavier's during the week of May 9th, by Rev. Thomas Galvin, the able Redemptorist, now in Buffalo, N. Y. His services were obtained through Rev. M. J. Purtell, S.J., of Baltimore's Ephpheta Mission. Co-operation of every Ephphetan is urged to bring together all the deaf of the faith within the City's 25 mile zone.

President Lonergan presided over the X E. S. first open meeting, advocating all enroll as due-paying members. His appointment of Joe Graham as usher found favor. Miss Mae Austra reported a handsome balance from the Lincoln birthday fancy dress affair, and she and her aides were greeted with "Bravos" Tom (pardon the slip) its President T. Francis O'Neil nowadays, announced a barn dance by the Young Men's B. V. M. Sodality after Easter. Mild mannered Frank Lamb favored placing the X. E. S. on a more business like basis, as a magnet to increase its roster. Jerry Fives injected a few words, with Mons. Bernhardt and Julius Kieckers also included among the speakers, and Miss Chanler summing up for an active membership drive.

Mrs. Chris. Fitzgerald attested a revival of interest by having Miss Susie Burns, and another lady accompanied her.

An added display of Frat buttons was noticeable. Bros. Rubano and Amstrong and Willie McDonnell and William Dennen, and "Bobby" Begy, Paul Murtaugh, "Viscount" Maxcy, among the younger generation, who have as good as promised allegiance to the X. E. S and its new pastor

The "flu" flew up Washington Heightsward, among others singling out Marion McCoy, much to the regret of the Cadet Jrs at Fanwood, who missed her the last two Sundays at St. Rose S. S. Happily the pesky flu has since "Flu" to Palm Beach, and Miss Marion is now ready for some "Sundaes."

The ladies at Ephpheta Home will entertain March 17th, in honor of St. Patrick. Miss M. Lamberson recuperated from the "flu" at her home in Glenn Cove, L I., and has since "flu" back to her duties in Manhattan.

Thomas Tighe has disposed of his two-story house in the Bronx, and with something added to the proceeds is considering enrollment in the Bronx Property Owners' League.

The price of "lots" form the nucleus of Tom Cosgrove's present day library, albeit an alluring proposition to become a Mergenthaler Yeoman has been offered him.

Ex-President Knopp is safe and sound despite the inroads made on the land side of Rockaway by Old Neptune. Friends say "Joe" was always cut out to be an aviator.

With everything at the haberdashers and clothiers and shoe makers going up, Tom Melledy is dreaming of the good old Summer time when he can hie to Rockaway and circumnavigate the Board Walk in his bathing togs, and thus get even with the H C. of L

Rev. Mr. Kent will give his reading of "The Amazing Interlude" in the Assembly Room of the Guild House, Saturday evening, March thirteenth. The recent rain storm worked havoc on Washington Heights. Numerous basements, among them St Ann's auditorium, were flood. No serious damage was done, and the water was soon pumped out. The reading will be given in the Guild House.

Mrs. Ella J. Lloyd and her daughter visited the Fanwood School last week She is the widow of Rowland B. Lloyd, for many years a valued teacher at Fanwood and later at Trenton, N. J., where Mrs. Lloyd lives and her daughter teaches at the present day. While in New York they were guests of Miss Barrager.

Miss Margaret Burgess, recently of San Francisco, California is now in New York, and expects to be joined by her brother, of Detroit, Mich., this week. She expects to return to the Pacific Coast some time this year. She was educated at the Virginia Institution at Staunton.

Owing to the flood in the Guild Room of St. Ann's Church, the basket-ball games were not played as advertised. They are postponed to March 20th. Tickets will be good for March 20th.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE.

Dr. Hotchkiss, Professor of Literature, was once more forced by illness to absent himself from his work. The correspondent spoke of a previous illness of his and later announced that he had recovered. However, the next day it was found that he had suffered a relapse, and the past week saw him confined to his home, but a notice posted on the bulletin and signed by the Doctor himself, announced that he expected to be back with his classes on Monday, March 1.

When the camp parties got to gether in the basement on Saturday, February 28th, and began overhauling their camping outfits, they said it was a sure sign of spring. The two inches of snow that fell the next day has failed to dampen their ardor for this annual "back to nature" week, which this year comes between March 31st and April 6th. As usual, the scene of their activities will be at Great Falls, Md. At this writing a permit has not been obtained from the owners of the property, but their lawyer has notified Camp Leader Wilson that he will do his best to secure permission for him, and this latter grant is looked upon simply as a formality and that it will be given There is a lot of conjecture about the weather, and the one fond hope on all sides is that luck will favor the week this year, for in the past two years nothing but cold and rain has greeted them.

The night of Friday, February 27th, saw the O. W. L. S. in their annual public appearance, and it may be said that their reputation was in nowise marred by the performance given. Miss Sterck opened the evening with a reading, "At Twenty-two," a story of a romance of love in a mining town in Australia. Then followed a one-act comedy, entitled "An Ode to Son," by Miss Birk, '23, and another of two acts in which the Misses Boatwright, '21, Helen Moss, '23, and Bradley, P. C., featured. Next in order was a series of "living pictures," representing well known advertisements.

"Hamlet's Soliloquy on Death," by Miss F. Lewis, '21, brought the evening to a close.

Saturday, February 28th, will long be remembered whenever Gallaudet's victories come up for discussion, by all those who were fortunate enough to be able to show up on Kendall Green, for the day was one "great, grand, glorious day," when the Buff and Blue was unfurled to a victorious breeze. The Co-eds started the ball rolling when their basketball team defeated the Miss Eastman's School Five, by the score of 25 to 5, incidentally achieving their first victory of the season. In the afternoon the Reserve basketball team, made up of Rebal, '21, (Capt.) Frewing, Hartin, '22, Connor, '23' and Langenberg, P. C., won a closely fought game from the fast Maryland State School Team, who, previous to this game, had enjoyed three straight victories over Gallaudet's second string men. Immediately following this game, the Buff and Blue wrestlers went to the mat in a series of five bouts with George Washington University and won three of them. The matches and the results are:—

Cowley (145 lbs), vs. Kannapell, (142 lbs.), Gallaudet. Cowley won fail in 8 minutes.

Orman (124 lbs.), Gallaudet, vs. Slifkin (119 lbs.). Forfeited to Orman after 6 minutes of wrestling.

Cherry (151), Gallaudet, vs. Hontz (161). Hontz received decision after 9 minutes.

Higgins (144), Gallaudet, vs. Luborne. (170). Higgins won fall in 2 minutes and 50 seconds.

Benedict (155), Gallaudet, vs. Hanchert (165). Benedict won fall in 5 minutes and 15 seconds.

Though defeated, Capt. Kannapell gave the best exhibition of wrestling, viewed from a standpoint of science. He was beaten only because his opponent proved to be a grappler of no mean ability, for he at one time held a western championship. But the most sensational bouts of the afternoon were those in which Higgins, '23, and Benedict, P. C., took the measure of men who outweighed them by ten and twenty-five pounds respectively.

Though he has been sick and unable to play during three-fourths of the season, Downes, Gallaudet's star center on the basketball quint is still considered the most formidable man on Southern courts this year. The basketball expert attached to the Washington *Herald* has selected the big fellow for his choice of center on the All District of Columbia five and has the following choice words to say of him:—

There isn't a coach, player, or sport writer, who has seen Downes, the deaf boy on the Gallaudet College quint play, who would not concede him as not only the best selection for center on the All-Star Washington College Quint, but there is not a center, or player, in the South that is his equal

This boy is in a class by himself and practically won the championship of the local Collegiate League last season for Gallaudet. Downes has been out of the game for about a month as the result of the attack of influenze. It is doubtful if he will be able to play again this season, although he may recuperate enough to be taken on the Kendall Greeners western trip in March. This lad's forte is his ability to cage his ball from directly under the basket as he shoots them in by a twist of the wrist, and opponents have not been able to stop him unless he is fouled.

Goodyear Establishes Preparatory Class for Gallaudet.

The following circulars now being sent to all State schools and interested parties by the Goodyear will explain themselves. For a long time the alumni and ex-students of Gallaudet at the Goodyear have wished to do something that would help the many students at State schools, who wished to enter Gallaudet, but were prevented because of lack of financial means. With the announcement by the Goodyear that it intended to spend two million dollars for education alone, the Gallaudetites at the Goodyear saw their opportunity. A petition was drawn up and submitted to the head of the educational department of the Goodyear. As a result a preparatory class to Gallaudet has been incorporated in the plan of education of the Goodyear Institute.

Goodyear Institute will be under the direction of one of the foremost educators of the country. The different instructors will also be of proved worth. The plan of the Goodyear Institute is so complete, that eventually it will be able to give the equivalent of an unversity education and to confer degrees.

Opposition may arise in some quarters, that the Goodyear will cause many boys and girls to leave school. This will not be so, for cnndidates to the Goodyear preparatory class will have to be graduates of their school and have the recommendation of their superintendent.

Credit for the establishing of the class must be given to A. D, Martin, of the Labor Bureau and Russel Moore, teacher of the Mute Squadron.

DEAR SIR:—We are establishing a preparatory school for the deaf in connection with Goodyear Institute. Its purpose is to prepare those students who are desirous of entering Gallaudet College, but who haven't the opportunity to take the required course, or whose financial means will not permit them to do so.

We feel that we will have your co-operation after you have read the outline of our course, which we are enclosing.

Please note that only Reading, Composition, Grammar, and Algebra, are included in our course. Therefore, students must present certificates from their superintendents showing that the college requirements in the other required subjects have been met.

If you have students of the type which we desire, we will appreciate it if you will explain to them our plan. Should you find any of them desirous take advantage of our plan, we will be glad to have their names as soon as possible.

Dr. Percival Hall of Gallaudet College has approved our plan.

Yours truly,
THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO.
Educational Department.

There are many State schools which do not offer a course to prepare young men and women for Gallaudet College. There are also many bright young people, both in schools that offer such a course and in those that do not, who are not financially able to enter college. Therefore we are desirous of seeing a course established in the Goodyear Institute, that will enable these students to come here to prepare for college and at the same time earn money for their expenses there.

We believe that it will be beneficial for all concerned if suce a course is started, for the following reasons:

First. It will help the deserving deaf to acquire a college education.

Second. It will benefit the Company, because a college graduate, or even a person with a few years of college training, will be of more value to the Company than one without such training. Graduates of our proposed preparatory class who enter Gallaudet College will naturally return to the Goodyear during their vacations. When they complete the college course, they will undoubtedly come here to locate permanently. Also, having so much for which to be gratefnl to the Goedyear, they will advise their friends of the advantages of working for that company.

For admission to Gallaudet College candidates are required to success fully pass examination in the following subjects:

"Students may be admitted to the Preparatory class upon certificate from approved schools that the prescribed requirements in Arithmetic, English History, American History, and Elementary Physics, have been fully met, and upon passing tests by the College Faculty in Algebra, Reading, and Grammar."

Only Algebra, Reading, and Grammar, will be taught in the Goodyear Institute course. Therefore, students must present certificates from their superintendents showing that the college requirements in the other four subjects have been met.

In order to enable our preparatory students to take the course, we believe it wili be necessary to place them on the first shift (7 A. M. to 3:40 P. M.) permanently. We will have to figure on a forty weeks' period for the course, ten hours a week. Placing the student on the first shift appears to be the most satisfactory arrangement.

There are many alumni and ex-students of Gallaudet working for the Goodyear. It is proposed that when a candidate for our preparatory class comes to Akron, some one among the alumni or ex-students be assigned to that candidate as his advisor. The advisor will play the part of "Big Brother" to this candidate and encourage him in his work and studies.

Candidates for Gallaudet College are examined during the month of May. Therefore our preparatory class should commence July 1st. This is in order to allow candidates to reach Akron in time to start the course here on that date. Most of the Stats schools close during the sedon and third week of June.

As this course is primarily intended to help students of limited financial resources, some means of preventing its abuse must be provided. We suggest that candidates have the recommendation of their State school superintendent. It will also be necessary that the candidate be a graduate of his school, and he must present a certificate of having passed in his studies.

Gallaudet College maintains an approved list of State schools. A school to be placed on this approved list must conform to certain regulations as to the course it gives in the elementary grades. The college will accept a certificate from the schools as satisfactory evidence that the candidates have passed in their elementary school work. Without such a certificate the candidate will be examined in both his grammar gradé work and his preparatory work.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

March 6, 1920—William Washington Roach, a bachelor, aged sixty-eight years, eight months and twenty-seven days, died at the home of his niece, Mrs. Jay Palmer, East Wooster Street, at 9:40 Tuesday night, from pneumonia of two weeks' duration, February 17th.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday morning, at ten o'clock, at the home of his nephew, Earl Miller, on East Wooster Street. Rev. R. A. Powell, of the U. B. church, will officiate. Burial will be made at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

Mr. Roach was born in Union County and came to this County when a young boy. He made farming his chief occupation during his life, working about the county on various farms. He was born a mute and had attended a mute, school at Columbus as a young man, becoming very proficient in the sign language. He was further handicapped the loss of one eye.

He leaves in addition to those relatives mentioned these others: A half brother, John Roach, of Toledo; and these nieces: Mrs. Charles Murray, Mrs. John Goodman, Mrs. Lawrence Hipsher, and Mrs. George Morris, all of this city.

The above is from the *Bowling Green Sentinel* of the 17th. The deceased attended the school here in the latter sixties and early seventies and is well remembered by the boys and girls who were his schoolmates. Little was heard of him after he left school.

The fund of the S. S. C. Girls, who are supporting two deaf French orphan children, is getting low. So the members are going to replenish it by giving a Vaudeville entertainment on the evening of March 20th, in the chapel of the school. They ask their friends to attend it and see what they can do in the way of theatrical talent, and at the same time lend a helping hand in a worthy cause.

Former members of the club, who have left school, have taken the school spirit with them and are working as of yore in helping these needy children.

Miss Vida, of Toledo, conceived an idea to swell the fund. Securing permission from the Chairman of the Box Social recently given in Toledo, she held a guessing contest in connection with it by filling a pint jar with beans. Guessers were at liberty to pay any amount they desired for a guess. Miss Morrison stood by the jar during the evening a streamer bearing the letters S. S. C. festooned on her arm. When the contest was closed $10 went to the good of the fund. Mr. Arthur Jean, of Detroit, carried off the prize, a pair of silk socks, his guess being 1525, while the actual number of beans in the jar was 1541.

Among he contributors were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Morrison, Wilbur Vida and Margaret Morrison, Samuel Henry, Clarence Skinner, Maria Shackelford, Nathan Henick, Philip Schwartz, A. E Bratden, Mr. S D. Clark, Jake Schwartz, A. Webster, Arthur Jean, Florence Kinney, C. F Pope, J E Clinker, Mr. Curry, Mrs. Blum, Mr. Mathanson, S. Kerowicz, Bert Tussing and Beulah Whitacre. In another part the state Miss Florence Nisbett is working for the cause, selling tickets for the entertainment. When she gets into Akron with her smile, may it be met by one from whomever she asks the favor of buying ticket accompanied with the neccessary quarter or more, and if possible come down on the 20th inst., and see the entertainment and get your money's worth, and at the same time feel good that you have given to a most worth cause.

The McGuffey Society of this city will hold its annual celebration at the School for Deaf, March 23d, O. T. Carson, head of Americanization work in Ohio, will give the principal address. Proceeds over expenses will go to the Ohio Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf.

Miss Clara Lingle, of Dayton, has been the guest of Miss Bessie McGregor since Saturday, over at Grove City. Thursday both visited the school and renewed acquaintances with old friends.

The March meeting of the Advance Society was held Tuesday evening, in the library of the school, with an attendance of twenty-five members. Committee reports of the Valentine Social were given and approved. The lunch counter and candy booth showed the largest receipts, $54.86 and $46 06 respectively. The net receipts of the whole affair were $196 and some cents.

A vote of thanks was given to everybody who in any way contributed to the entertainment. Mr. Marcus Krongold, of Akron, was chosen an associate member.

Messrs. Zoru and Beckert were appointed a committee to consult Superintendent Jones in regard to allowing pupils to attend the annual picnic at the Home, May 30th next. It was formerly a privilege, but was annulled last year.

Rev. Utten Read, at the conclusion of the business part, entertained the members with a character sketch, "The Wrestler" of Philippi, which was greatly appreciated and the speaker given a rising vote of thanks at its conclusion.

The Ladies' Aid Society held its annual reception at the home of Bessie McGregor at Grove City, last Saturday from three to eight P M. Forty active and associate members participated in the affair, and according to the saying of some, it was the most enjoyable yet given, and then the spread too was all that could be desired, various games were on the program and indulged in. No male person was allowed a peep of their performance, even Mr. McGregor was banished from the premises for the time being. The reason for it was that some of the younger set were donned in male attire representing various characters, sailor, cadet, farmer and gentlemen. One of the elderly ladies took on the character of Mrs. Martha Washington.

The Cleveland Association of the Deaf combined business with pleasure last Saturday evening, at the home of Mrs. Libbie Stocker. After transacting routine business, officers for the year were chosen as follows: President, Daniel Friedman; Secretary, Mrs. Fred Krull; Treasurer, John Miller.

It was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Friedman, April 17th.

Then came the social part of the evening, a birthday surprise party to Mr. C. K Neillie. He was remembered with many nice and useful gifts as a testimonial from friends Social talk and refreshments followed, and at parting wishes for at least forty years more in this vale of tears might be his lot. We doubt if he would want to live to be a century old. Much interest is being taken by the Cleveland deaf in the forthcoming N. A. D. Convention in Detroit. Quite a member of the Forest City are preparing to attend it. A branch of the N A. D. is to be started in the city, and Vice-President, Miss Lamson, has appointed Miss Lillian Freidman to whoop the matter. There are certainly enough deaf in Cleveland to maintain such a branch, and keep it up, for it is to their benefit. Wake up and join it, and after it is started keep it going. It will be to your advantage, though you may not realize it.

A. B G.

NOTICE!

More than a year ago the girls at the Ohio School, known as the S. S. C. girls, adopted two fatherless deaf children in France. Just what "S S" means is a secret, but we judge the real meaning is "Sun Shine," for the girls have surely brightened the lives of these little deaf children, and made them love Ohio in return.

ast year the girls gave a good entertainment and made enough to support their proteges for a year. On March 20th, the girls will again make an effort to raise more money. Their cause is a noble one, and we trust the readers of this will like to help them along.

If you can not be present at their Vaudeville on March 20th, they will be glad to receive the price of a ticket (25 cents) from any who are interested in their work.

Their show will be worth seeing and they will be glad to welcome all who can be thereto enjoy it.

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Religious Notice

Baptist Evangelist to the Deaf. Will answer all calls.

J. W. MICHAELS,
Fort Smith, Ark

FANWOOD.

Last Saturday evening, March 6th, the Fanwood Literary Association opened with a program given by Miss Burchard's Fifth Female Oral Class. Stories, reading, dialogue, etc, were well rendered Miss Rachel Shapiro, a new pupil, recently, who is a daughter of deaf parents, for the first time landed on the platform, narrating a story of Three Wonderful Princesses, despite her nervousness, and the story, as recited by Rachel, drew much attention. President Fox wound up the evening at the conclusion of his talk on Current Events.

1. The H. C. O. L. Hits Billy Brad—Rose Weinert.
2. Miss Jane A. Delano—Frances Scharts.
3. The Three Wonderful Princesses—Rachel Shapiro.
4. Story Telling—Rose Ortner, Hilda Frederick, Dora Steffins.
5. A Fair Exchange—Emma Orlowsky.
6. A Brave Woman and Her Work—Tessie Farber.
7. Children's General—Dora Schumerack
8. A Scarlet Fever Exhibition—Mabe Bowser.
9. Sparkle—Jennie Salta.
10. Guarded Silver—Dora Whiteman.
11. Beads, and How they Came by Their Name—Gertrude Lefkowitz.
12. Jules B. Lepage—Glady Dennis.
13. How Cassie Saved the Spoons—Elsie Schwing.

Miss Burchard is spending the week-end at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Slockbower, the Principal's genial secretary, attended the performance of "Daddies," at the Standard Theatre, Saturday afternoon.

Prof. Smith and Miss Smith have been absent from their duties on account of illness.

Miss Harriet Taber and Mrs. F. G. Landon of the Ladies' Committee visited the Institution last week

On account of the great scarcity of commodities and other supplies, Major Van Tassell, the steward, is encountering considerable difficulty these days in keeping up the enormous demands for the necessities of the Institution.

Lieutenant Schubert's daughter sailed for Porto Rico on Saturday morning, and he was on the pier to bid her a fond adieu.

In order to keep up with the news of the days, the Institution subscribes for one hundred copies of the "Current Events."

Frank Scofield, who was sent to St Luke's Hospital for an operation for appendicitis, is now convalescing at the home of his parents.

Rose Coplowitz, a new pupil, attended the Boston Day School for four years.

The yard men are getting the grounds in shape for practice for April 17th.

Oscar Benison was sent to the Willard Parker Hospital last Saturday, suffering with Mastoiditis. The doctors have not found it necessary to operate as yet.

Messrs. F. Burral Hoffman and Robert G. Hone, of the Visiting Committee, Board of Directors, made a complete inspection of the Institution Friday.

The Band is practicing industriously for the April 17th concert.

Dr. Rogers, the Institution physician, calls every day and keeps us in good health.

The Electric Automatic fire alarm ordered installed by the Fire Department two years ago, has at last been completed and approved. Twenty-six gongs and twenty-six stations have been placed in convenient positions about the several buildings.

In spite of the very unpleasant weather Saturday afternoon the number of visitors in the parents' visiting room was larger than usual.

Six new perforated rubber mats, one half inch thick, have been placed in the boys' bathing rooms.

The Boys' Lavatory has been brightened up materially by a coat of enamel paint.

On Saturday afternoon, pupils whose parents do not come to visit them, or who live too far to go to their homes, enjoy the motion picture entertainments in the many theatres in the near vicinity.

Lieutenant Ralph W. E. Annin, who has been in the employ of the Institution since February 2d as a tutor, was on Monday last transferred to the main office. Mr Annin, for seventeen years, was connected with the Lawyers' Title & Trust Co, and during the last seven years he was manager of the Policy Department. We wish him success in his new work.

The latest fad among the girls is to have their pictures taken in gymnasium costumes.

Many of the pupils, having gained the thrift habit during the war, continue to buy war stamps from the office.

$70.25 was collected from the pupils, teachers and employes of the Institution, and sent to the school for the Deaf in Chefoo, China, to help erect a new institution building for the deaf and dumb there and support the pupils of that school.

Among Fanwood visitors of this and last week were Mrs. Ella J. Lloyd and her daughter, and Mrs. Mollie Joiner Kearny and daughter. The daughter of the former and the mother in the latter case, are teachers at the State School in Trenton, N. J.

Cadet Corporal David Lazarus, who recently was confined to bed at home with grippe an entire week, was back on Monday, to resume his regular studies and trade, in which he has taken great interest, especially in the latter.

Cadet First Sergent Benjamin Dembo, who has spent almost a week at his home, suffering an optic cold, has returned to school convalescent.

Mr. J. Dietrich, the proud owner of a new garage, located in Long Island, paid a brief visit to Lieutenant F. Lux, and reported that his business in auto overhauling is making great progress.

This week we have a few notes from the place of mystery—the girls' side. Ye scribe has undertaken to penetrate therein and has come out alive, and will relate to you a few of the notes he managed to pick up.

Misses Molly Getsdorff and Mollie Heitner are strong supporters of the Oral System, and throughout the day, when they meet, they are continually practicing lip-reading.

Miss Thursia LaMour must have inherited her talent for hair dressing, as no maid could invent and wear all the styles of coiffeur that she does without making any flaws—but somehow she does it.

Miss Mary Pelcher holds the record for bon bon eating, rarely ever consuming less than two boxes a week. (That breaks the record held by two former scribes of this column—"Jack" Seltzer and "Al" Cattanach.)

Among the little girls, Viola Schwing is considered to be a very good dancer, and so Anna Pavlowa better look out for popularity if this little lady should go onto the stage.

Some one has told us Miss Mary Caplan resembles the great moving picture actress, Theda Bara.

Louis Coury's Ice cream Emporium came near to closing its doors when Misses Anna Hoffman and Sonnia Roven visited it and depleted the stock the other day.

ATHLETICS

After weeks and weeks of playing basket ball games among the small cadets, Cadet Captain Charles Moscovitz, in charge of the Baby tournament, reported that the participants, by their perseverance, obedience, and clean playing, have made much improvement, and have rounded themselves into fine form, therefore honorable credit goes to Charles for his success.

Medals for the first and second prizes will be awarded to the winners very soon.

The following winners of the Baby tournament are appended below:—

AUSTRALIA TEAM	ARMENIA TEAM
E. Kerwin	N Cerniglio
M Ruthven	G. Kindel
J. Gleicher	F Hansen
C. Jacobucci	O. Kehling
T. Meehan	I Dietz
L. Williams (sub.)	D. Aellis (ub)

The final standing of the Baby tournament is as follows:—

TEAMS	G.	W.	L.	P.C.
Australia	10	8	2	.800
Armenia	11	7	4	.636
Canada	11	6	5	.546
Africa	9	3	6	.334
Norway	9	3	6	.333
Sweden	10	3	7	.300

Masquerade and Dance

On Washington's birthday, a masquerade and dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cocks, in Port Washington, L. I., and many of their deaf friends were invited. In the afternoon a number of pictures and interesting poultry ribbons won by Mr. Cocks were exhibited. A luncheon supper was served at 6 o'clock, and two hours later the masquerade and dance started. Mrs. Cocks was attired as a lady of the Revolutionary period, and was very beautiful, while Mr. Cocks was disguised as a Prohibitionist, carrying a coffin with a bottle laid at rest in it; and served to evoke the mirth of all present.

The grand march began at ten o'clock, with judges to decide the best cotumes. Their decisions were: First Prize for ladies—Miss E. Anderson, attired in a gown of the National colors. Second prize—Mr. R. Douglas, attired as a lady. First and second prizes for gentlemen went to Messrs. George Rau and C. D. Cocks, respectively. Appropriate prizes wered awarded.

Refreshments, followed by a flashlight picture, served to wind up an evening that well be long remembered by those that were fortunate in attending, who were: Mr. and Mrs. Jeynes, Mr. and Mrs. G Rau, Mr. and Mrs R. Stevenson, Miss Violet Pearce, Miss E. Anderson, Messrs. Victor and R. Anderson, Gilbert Hicks, W. Aalbue, Eli Elis and Henry Muench.

On February 16th, a son, weighing nine pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rudolph (*nee* Velie), of Brooklyn.

New England Gallaudet Association.

By vote of the Board of Managers it has been decided to hold the next convention of the association in Providence, R. I., on September 6th and 7th, 1920.

Information concerning hotels, etc., will be issued later.

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Sermon—3 P.M.
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Everybody Welcome.

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Rev. Clarence E. Webb, *Missionary-in charge.*
Mrs. Alice M. Andrews, *Parish Visitor.*

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Evening Prayer and Sermon, every Sunday, 3:00 P.M.

Holy Communion and Sermon, last Sunday in each month, 3:00 P.M.

Social Center every Wednesday at 8 P.M.
ALL THE DEAF CORDIALLY INVITED.

Baltimore Methodist Deaf-Mute Mission.

Rev. D. E. Moylan, *Pastor,* 949 W. Franklin Street.
Rev. J. A. Branflick, *Assistant,* 1002 W. Franklin Street.

Services at Christ M. E. Church for the Deaf, Pierce Street, corner of Schroeder Street, every Sunday at 3:30 P.M. Sunday School at 2:30 P.M. Week day meetings every Thursday evening at eight o'clock, except during July and August. Holy Communion first Sunday each month. Everybody welcome.

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March 13, 1920

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